

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl) No(s).785/2007

(From the judgement and order dated 16/12/2004 in CRLA No. 1863/2002 of The  
HIGH COURT OF MADRAS)

A.BABU @ RAJ

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF T.NADU

Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for bail)

Date: 14/05/2007 This Petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.K. MATHUR

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DALVEER BHANDARI

For Petitioner(s)

Mr. R. Anand Padmanabhan, Adv.

Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

Mr. V.G. Pragasam, Adv.

Mr. S. Vallinayagam, Adv.

Mr. S. Prabu Ramasubramanian, Adv.

UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following

O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appeal is disposed of in terms of the signed order.

(K.K. Chawla)

Court Master

(Radha R. Bhatia)

Court Master

[Signed order is placed on the file]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO.726 OF 2007

[ARISING OUT OF SLP (CRIMINAL) NO.785 OF 2007

A.BABU @ RAJ

Appellant

VERSUS

STATE OF T.NADU

Respondent

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
3. The appellant has been convicted under Section 392 read with

Section 397 IPC and Section 34 IPC and sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of 10 years. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of this case, we reduce the sentence of the appellant from 10 years' rigorous imprisonment to six years. If the appellant has already served out six years' imprisonment, then he shall be released forthwith, if not required in any other case. The appeal is, accordingly, disposed of.

.....J.

(A.K. Mathur)

.....J.

(Dalveer Bhandari)

New Delhi;

May 14, 2007